

March 3, 2021

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) 21-057RH

The City of Corona Administrative Services Department (City) invites qualified proposals for:

ON-CALL / EMERGENCY - ESSENTIAL SYSTEMS REPAIR SERVICES FOR POTABLE WATER - RECLAIMED WATER - WASTEWATER

Parties interested in obtaining a copy of this RFP 21-057RH may do so by registering for PlanetBids as a vendor at http://coronaca.gov/i-want-to/rfp-posts-list. Registered vendors can download Contract Documents, including this RFP 21-057RH, and receive addenda and notifications when issued. Contractors will also submit electronic bids through PlanetBids.

Closing: Proposals shall be submitted at or before 10:00 A.M., March 31, 2021 through PlanetBids Vendor Portal. It is the Contractor's responsibility to allow sufficient time to complete and submit its proposal, including all required documentation required by this RFP, prior to the Proposals Due deadline.

Contractors are solely responsible for submitting their electronic proposal on time. The City will only consider Proposals that have transmitted successfully and have been issued a time stamped confirmation number from PlanetBids indicating that the Proposal was successfully submitted. **Transmission of Proposals by any other means will not be accepted**.

Contractors are solely responsible for informing themselves, with respect to proper usage, of the online bid management system PlanetBids, for ensuring the capability of their computer system to upload the required documents, and for the reliability of their internet services. Failure to successfully submit an electronic Proposal is the Contractor's sole risk and relief will not be given for later and/or improperly submitted Proposals.

Contractors experiencing any technical difficulties with the bid submission process may contract PlanetBids Support at (818) 992-1771 or, if you continue to experience difficulties, the City of Corona Purchasing Division at (951) 736-2274. Neither the City, nor PlanetBids, make any guarantees or assurances as to the timely availability of assistance or resolution of any given issue prior to the submission date and/or time.

Issuance of this RFP and/or receipt of proposals does not commit the City to award a contract.

Signed,

J. Richard Hogate aka Rich Hogate

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SECTION I

INVITATION

The City of Corona Administrative Services Department (City) invites proposals from qualified firms for:

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Please read this entire RFP package and include all requested information and forms in your proposal. Proposals must be signed by an authorized agent of the company submitting a proposal to be considered responsive.

Tentative RFP Schedule (Subject to change at City's discretion)

1.	Issue RFP	March 3, 2021
2.	Legal Ad published in Sentinel Weekly	March 3, 2021
3.	Questions from Contractors Due	March 10, 2021; 11:00 A.M.
4.	Response from City Due	March 24, 2021
5.	Proposals Due on Planet Bids	March 31, 2021; 10:00 A.M.
6.	RFP Evaluation Completed	April 14, 2021
7.	Contractor Selection	April 14, 2021
8.	Contractor Award	May 5, 2021

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SECTION II.

RFP INSTRUCTIONS

A. Pre-Proposal Meeting

Not Applicable

B. Examination of Proposal Documents

- 1. By submitting a proposal, contractors represent they have thoroughly examined and become familiar with the work required under this RFP and are capable of performing quality work to achieve the City's objectives.
- 2. The City reserves the right to remove from its mailing list for future RFPs, for an undetermined period of time, the name of any contractor for failure to accept a contract, failure to respond to three (3) consecutive RFPs and/or unsatisfactory performance. Please note that submitting a "No Offer" letter is considered a response.
- 3. Prior to submitting a proposal, contractor must fully inform himself of the conditions, requirements and specifications of the work or materials to be furnished. Failure to do so will be at consultant's own risk and cannot secure relief on the plea of error.

C. Addenda

Substantive City changes to the requirements will be made by written addendum to this RFP. Any written addenda issued pertaining to this RFP shall be incorporated into the terms and conditions of any resulting Purchase Order and/or Agreement. Copies of the Addenda will be furnished through the City's electronic bidding system, PlanetBids, and to all registered vendors receiving this RFP. Contractors are responsible for ensuring that they have received any and all Addenda. To this end, each contractor should contact the City's Purchasing Division to verify that he or she has received all Addenda issued, if any, prior to the due date. Contractors shall acknowledge receipt of all Addenda in Section VI. "Price Form" of this RFP. The City shall not be bound to any modifications to or deviations from the requirements set forth in this RFP as the result of oral instruction.

D. Clarifications

1. Examination of Documents

Should a consultant require clarifications to this RFP, contractor shall notify the City in writing in accordance with Section D.2 below. Should it be found that the point in question is not clearly and fully set forth in the RFP, the City shall issue a written addendum clarifying the matter which shall be sent to all known recipients of this RFP and through the City's electronic bidding system, PlanetBids.

2. Submitting Requests

All questions, clarifications or comments shall be submitted through the City's electronic bidding system:

http://www.planetbids.com/portal/portal.cfm?CompanyID=39497

using the Questions & Answers tab. Questions must be submitted no later than 11:00 A.M., March 10, 2021.

3. <u>City Responses</u>

- a. Responses from the City will be communicated in writing to all known recipients of this RFP by way of addendum via the City's electronic bidding system, PlanetBids, no later than 72 hours prior to the proposal Due Date and Time. It is the sole responsibility of contractors to ensure they have received all addenda prior to submitting a proposal.
- b. The Tentative Schedule may change at any time. Any and all changes to the Tentative Schedule will be made by way of addendum. If an Addendum is issued less than 72 hours before the proposal due date and time, the proposal due date will be extended.

E. Submission of Proposals

1. Date and Time

All proposals are to be submitted to the City's electronic bidding system, PlanetBids, no later than:

March 31, 2021, 10:00 A.M.

Proposals received after that date and time will be rejected by the City as non-responsive (NO EXCEPTIONS).

2. <u>Electronic Submission</u>

Proposals shall be submitted using the City's PlanetBids Vendor Portal. It is the Contractor's responsibility to allow sufficient time to complete and submit their proposal, including all required documentation required by this RFP, prior to the Proposals Due deadline.

Proposals may not be delivered in person or by other delivery methods. It is the sole responsibility of contractors to ensure that their proposals are received at Planet Bids at the time and date indicated in the RFP.

3. Acceptance of Proposals

- a. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals, or any item or part thereof, or to waive any informalities or irregularities in proposals received.
- b. The City reserves the right to withdraw this RFP at any time without prior notice, and the City makes no representations that any contract will be awarded to any contractor responding to this RFP.
- c. The City reserves the right to postpone proposal opening for its own convenience.

F. Proposal Withdrawal

Prior to the proposal opening, a proposal may be withdrawn by the contractor only by means of a written request signed by the contractor or its properly authorized representative. Such request must be received by Planet Bids. After that time, contracotrs may not withdraw their proposals for a period of ninety (90) days from the Proposal Submittal Deadline. At no time may the successful contractor(s) withdraw their proposal(s).

G. Pre-Contractual Expenses

Pre-contractual expenses are defined as expenses incurred by the contractor in:

- 1. preparing its proposal in response to this RFP;
- 2. submitting the proposal to City;
- 3. negotiating with City any matter related to the proposal; or
- 4. any other expenses incurred by the consultant prior to date of award, if any, of the Agreement.

The City shall not, in any event, be liable for any pre-contractual expenses incurred by consultant in the preparation of its proposal. Contractor shall not include any such expenses as part of its proposal.

H. Contract Award

Issuance of this RFP and receipt of proposals does not commit the City to award an Agreement. The City reserves the right to postpone proposal opening for its own convenience, to accept or reject any or all proposals received in response to this RFP, to negotiate with other than the selected contractor(s) should negotiations with the selected contractor(s) be terminated, to negotiate with more than one contractor simultaneously, or to cancel all or part of this RFP.

I. Contract Term

It is anticipated the initial contract term will shall be effective on or about May 19, 2021 through June 30, 2023.

The City may elect to exercise an extension to renew this contract for an additional two (2) year term periods.

- 1. The first optional extension will be for the period July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2025.
- 2. The second optional extension will be for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2027.

Contract Renewal: The contract may be extended by the City under the terms and conditions of the original contract, upon execution of an amendment to the contract by both parties. Should the City elect to exercise the option to extend this contract, the parties shall negotiate pricing for such period prior to commencement of the additional extension contract period. Negotiated price increases for the contract extension shall not exceed the percentage change in the United States Bureau of Labor Statistics Consumer Price Index "All Urban Consumers" for Riverside San Bernardino Ontario, CA (CPI) for the most recent twelve months for which statistics are available. This method of price negotiation shall apply to each extension period exercised. Option years shall become effective only upon issuance by the City of a duly authorized purchase order and signed amendment.

J. Acceptance of Order

The successful contractor(s) will be required to accept a Purchase Order and execute a written Agreement (see Section VII, Form of Agreement) in accordance with and including as a part thereof the published notice of Request for Proposals and this Request for Proposals, including all requirements, conditions and specifications contained herein, with no exceptions other than those specifically listed in the written purchase order and/or Agreement.

K. Vendor Performance

It is the intent of the City to create a long-term working partnership with the contractor. The City's representative will be completing a Vendor Performance Evaluation Form on a periodic basis. An example of this type of form can be reviewed in Section V. This type of form will be the basis for periodic assessments by the City to establish contract performance metrics.

L. City of Corona Business License

The successful contractor(s) and any sub-conractors are required to obtain a City of Corona Business License prior to award of Contract, and to maintain the license for the entire term of the Agreement. The Business License is not a prerequisite for submission of a proposal, and Business Licenses are not required for materials or equipment shipped by U.S. mail or common carrier.

Inquiries regarding the City Business License may be answered by calling 951-736-2275 or by visiting the City's website: https://www.coronaca.gov/government/departments-divisions/finance/business-license-info.

M. <u>Prevailing Wage</u>

Refer to Section VII, Form of Agreement, Section 3.3.5 for Prevailing Wage requirements.

N. Special Provisions for Services

- 1. <u>Accessibility</u>. Contractor shall fully inform themselves regarding any peculiarities and limitations of the spaces available for the performance of work under this contract. Contractor shall exercise due and particular caution to determine that all parts of their work are made quickly and easily accessible.
- 2. <u>Authority of the City of Corona</u>. Subject to the power and authority of the City of Corona as provided by law in this contract, the City of Corona shall in all cases determine the quantity, quality, and acceptability of the work, materials and supplies for which payment is to be made under this contract. The City shall decide questions that may arise relative to the fulfillment of the contract or the obligations of the contractor hereunder.
- 3. <u>Changes in Work</u>. The City may, at any time work is in progress, by written order and without notice to the sureties, make alterations in the terms of work as shown in the specifications, require the performance of extra work, decrease the quantity of work, or make such other changes as the City may find necessary or desirable. The contractor shall not claim forfeiture of contract by reasons of such changes by the City. Changes in work and the amount of compensation to be paid to the contractor for any extra work as so ordered shall be determined in accordance with the unit prices quoted.
- 4. Contract Incorporation. This contract embodies the entire contract between the City and the contractor. The parties shall not be bound by or be liable for any statement, representation, promise, inducement or understanding of any kind or nature not set forth herein. No changes, amendments, or modifications of any of the terms or conditions of the contract shall be valid unless reduced to writing and signed by both parties. The complete contract shall include the entire contents of the RFP solicitation, all addenda, all of contractor's successful submittal, supplemental agreements, change orders, performance bond(s), and any and all written agreements which alter, amend or extend the contract.
- 5. <u>Rejection of Work</u>. Contractor agrees that the City has the right to make all final determinations as to whether the work has been satisfactorily completed.

O. Public Records

Responses (proposals) to this Request for Proposal (RFP) and the documents constituting any contract entered into thereafter become the exclusive property of the City of Corona

and shall be subject to the California Public Records Act (Government Code Section 6250 et seq.). The City of Corona's use and disclosure of its records are governed by this Act.

Those elements in each proposal which proposer considers to be trade secrets, as that term is defined in Civil Code Section 3426.1(d), or otherwise exempt by law from disclosure, should be prominently marked as "TRADE SECRET", "CONFIDENTIAL", or "PROPRIETARY" by proposer. The City of Corona will use its best efforts to inform proposer of any request for disclosure of any such document. The City of Corona shall not in any way be liable or responsible for the disclosure of any such records including, without limitation those so marked if disclosure is deemed to be required by law or by an order of the Court.

In the event of litigation concerning disclosure of information the proposer considers exempt from disclosure, the City of Corona will act as a stakeholder only, holding the information until otherwise ordered by a court or other legal process. If the City of Corona is required to defend an action arising out of a Public Records Act request for any of the contents of a proposer's proposal marked "Confidential", "Proprietary", or "Trade Secret", proposer shall defend and indemnify the City of Corona from all liability, damages, costs, and expense, including attorneys' fees, in any action or proceeding arising under the Public Records Act.

Because the proposal documents are available for review by any person after award of a contract resulting from an RFP, the City of Corona shall not in any way be held responsible for disclosure of any "Confidential," Proprietary," or "Trade Secret" documents.

P. Negative History

Contractor must include in its Proposal a complete disclosure of any alleged significant prior or on-going contract failures, any civil or criminal litigation or investigation pending which involves the firm or in which the firm has been judged guilty or liable within the last five (5) years.

If there is no negative history to disclose the firm must affirmatively state in its Proposal there is no negative history to report.

Failure to comply with the terms of this provision may disqualify any proposal. The City reserves the right to reject any proposal based upon the firm's prior documented history with the City or with any other party which documents, without limitation, unsatisfactory performance, adversarial or contentious demeanor, significant failures to meet contract milestones or other contractual failures.

SECTION III.

EVALUATION AND AWARD

The City is soliciting contractors who have established knowledge and expertise in all aspects of the services requested in this RFP.

- 1. Have a minimum of three (3) similar projects within the last three (3) years providing the same or similar services requested in this RFP.
 - a. Provide reference(s) of agencies you have contracted with, providing the same or similar services.
- 2. Have sufficient staff and/or sub-contractors available with experience in the disciplines required for this service.
- 3. Have the administrative and fiscal capability to provide and manage the proposed services.

A. EVALUATION CRITERIA

Selection of the successful proposal will be based upon submission of proposals meeting the selection criteria. Proposals determined to not meet one or more material RFP requirements may be excluded. The minimum selection criteria will include:

1. Qualifications of Firm – 20 pts

Strength, stability, experience and technical competence of the firm and sub-contrators (if any) – the City reserves the right to request specific sub-contractors for certain portions of the project; Logic of project organization; Adequacy of labor and resource committed to the project.

2. Qualifications and Experience of Personnel – 20 pts

Qualifications, education, and experience of project staff; Key Personnel's level of involvement in performing related work. Experience in providing services similar to those requested herein; Experience working with public agencies; Client references.

3. Completeness and Timeliness of Response – 10 pts

Completeness of response in accordance with RFP instructions; Has not taken exceptions to or deviations from the RFP requirements; Inclusion of required licenses and certifications of firm and key personnel performing the project.

4. Competitive Cost and Price – 25 pts

Reasonableness of the individual firm-fixed prices and/or hourly rates, and competitiveness of quoted firm-fixed prices with other proposals received; adequacy of the data in support of figures quotes; basis on which prices are quoted.

5. Project Plan and Completion – 25 pts

Approach and methodology; Data requirements needed from the City and how the data would be submitted; Identification of activities required to complete tasks; Schedule for project completion.

Contractor must include in their proposal a complete disclosure of any alleged significant prior or ongoing contract failures, any civil or criminal litigation or investigation pending which involves the contractor or in which the contractor has been judged guilty or liable. Failure to comply with the terms of this provision may disqualify your proposal. The City reserves the right to reject any proposal based upon the contractor's prior history with the City or with any other party which documents, without limitation, unsatisfactory performance, adversarial or contentious demeanor, significant failure(s) to meet contract milestones or other contractual failures.

B. <u>EVALUATION PROCEDURE</u>

The City's evaluation committee will evaluate all proposals received in accordance with the above criteria. During the evaluation period, the City may do any or all of the following:

- 1. generate a "short list" and conduct interviews with the top candidates;
- 2. conduct on-site visits and/or tours of the candidates' places of business;
- 3. conduct negotiations with the most qualified candidate(s).

Contractors should be aware, however, that award may be made without consultant visits, interviews, or further discussions or negotiations.

C. AWARD

On the basis of evaluation criteria so stated in the Request for Proposal and all information developed in the selection process to this point, the City will select firms whose professional qualifications and proposed services are deemed to meet the requirements of the RFP.

Depending on the dollar amounts of the proposals received, City staff will either select contractor(s) best meeting the above-specified criteria or submit a recommendation to City Council for consideration and selection of the proposal(s) evaluated by staff to be the most qualified.

The City anticipates making final selections and awards on or about April 14, 2021.

In addition, negotiations may or may not be conducted with contractors; therefore, the proposal submitted should contain your most favorable terms and conditions, since the

selection and award may be made without discussion with any contractor.

SECTION IV.

SCOPE OF SERVICES

The City of Corona is requesting proposals from qualified contractors to respond as specified below to make repairs and installations to the City's potable/reclaimed distribution systems, wastewater collection system, and related structures and appurtenances.

Typical conditions involve preparation and work in excavations of 5 to 10 feet, and at times 10 feet and over which will require mandatory shoring, bracing, sloping or other provisions to be made for worker protection from hazard of caving ground during excavation of any trench or trenches five feet or more in depth and must be in compliance with and defined by Cal OSHA standards.

"No-fee" permits for work under this contract will be available to the successful Contractor. Sub-contractors do not have to be identified up-front in the proposal. However, if sub-contractors are to be used by the Contractor, the Contractor shall obtain prior written permission from City prior to such sub-contractors performing work under this contract, and all such sub-contractors are subject to the Safety Requirements / Violations contained in RFP Instructions, Section III.

Contractors should not include any anticipated costs of bonds in their proposal. Only in cases where the Contractor is assigned projects through the year that, individually, are valued at \$25,000 or more will bonds be required, under State law. At the time the Contractor provides project estimates under this contract, the Contractor will be able to add in the cost of bonds for such projects.

This scope of work establishes the minimum requirements for providing On-Call / Emergency - Essential Systems Repair Services For Potable Water - Reclaimed Water - Wastewater for the City of Corona.

The Contractor is required to meet all specifications listed herein, as minimum, and is required to submit a firm fixed cost for all commodities/services.

The Contractor shall fully and timely provide all deliverables described herein in strict accordance with the terms, covenants, and conditions of the Contract and all applicable Federal, State, and local laws, rules, and regulations. Contractor shall provide all labor, materials, equipment, and mobilization to complete the services.

Permissible work hours are 7am to 5pm Monday through Friday excluding City observed holidays. Any deviations will need to be pre-approved by the project manager.

- 1. All Contractor employees and sub-contractors shall follow applicable local, state and federal laws and regulations, as well as all Cal-OSHA standards and requirements. For the purposes of all projects and work performed under this contract, long pants shall be considered Personal Protective Equipment ("PPE"). As such, short pants shall not be allowed on any City property, or any work site related to this contract.
- 2. Contractor shall respond, mobilize and be on-site ready to start work no later than 48 hours of notification for routine work, repairs and installations. Must be able to respond by telephone to emergency notifications from City within 30 minutes of being notified by City that there is an emergency, and to be mobilized and on-site with one (1) hour of such emergency notification by City.

- 3. Contractor to provide all labor, equipment, tools and required shoring equipment.
- 4. Contractor's crew to include a truck driver, equipment operators, laborers, certified pipe welder, vehicles, excavators and backhoes, as needed.
- 5. Water main/service line repairs and installations may consist of ³/₄-inch to 30-inch of the following material: ductile iron, steel, asbestos cement, HDPE, PVC or copper.
- 6. Sewer mains/laterals repairs and installations will consist of: clay, ductile, PVC, Truss or ABS.
- 7. Contractor will be responsible for backfill, compaction and cold patch.
- 8. Contractor responsible for hauling or coordinating delivery of base, rock, sand, slurry, concrete and cold mix.
- 9. Compaction in City and County right of way will be 95%, everything else 90%.
- 10. Contractor must comply with traffic control per the M.U.T.C.D..
- 11. City to provide all repair materials including, but not limited to pipes, valves, flanges, brass and copper fittings, full circle repair clamps, couplings, base, sand and cold mix. Contractor shall provide materials lists.
- 12. In rare events the contractor may have to provide pipe and also supply parts for the repairs. In this event supplies provided by the contractor will require a complete itemized breakdown of the materials to be provide for project for audit and approval by the City Representative prior to Contractor ordering or supplying the materials.
- 13. All fittings are to be installed as per the manufacturer's specifications, i.e., proper torque values and lube.
- 14. Contractor shall coordinate delivery of materials to jobsite.
- 15. City will provide contractor with dumping site for spoils.
- 16. City will provide contractor a drop-off location for hazardous pipe materials, i.e., asbestos cement.
- 17. City will be responsible for final paving.

SECTION V.

PROPOSAL CONTENT AND FORMS

A. <u>PRESENTATION</u>

Proposals should not include any unnecessarily elaborate or promotional material. Information should be presented in the order in which it is requested. Lengthy narrative is discouraged, and presentations should be brief and concise.

1. Letter of Transmittal

A Letter of Transmittal shall be included with the proposal, addressed to Rich Hogate, and must, at a minimum, contain the following:

- a. identification of consultant, including name, address and telephone number;
- b. proposed working relationship between consultant and subcontractors, if applicable;
- c. acknowledgment of receipt of all RFP addenda, if any;
- d. name, title, address, telephone number and email address of vendor's contact person during period of proposal evaluation;
- e. a statement to the effect that the proposal shall remain valid for a period of not less than 90 days from the date of submittal; and
- f. signature of a person authorized to bind consultant to the terms of the proposal.

Following the letter of transmittal, proposals should address the following items in turn:

2. Technical Proposal

a. Qualifications, Related Experience and References

This section of the proposal should establish the ability of consultant to satisfactorily perform the required work by reasons of: experience in performing work of a similar nature; demonstrated competence in the services to be provided; educational qualifications; strength and stability of the firm; staffing capability; work load; record of meeting schedules on similar projects; and supportive client references.

Vendor shall:

(1) provide a brief profile of the firm, including the types of services offered; the year founded; form of the organization (corporation,

- partnership, sole proprietorship); number, size and location of offices; number of employees;
- (2) provide a general description of the firm's financial condition; identify any conditions (e.g., bankruptcy, pending litigation, planned office closures, impending merger) that may impede contractor's ability to complete the project;
- (3) describe the firm's experience in performing work of a similar nature to that solicited in this RFP, and highlight the participation in such work by the key personnel proposed for assignment to this project;
- (4) identify sub-consultants by company name, address, contact person, telephone number and project function and describe contractor's experience working with each sub-consultant; and
- (5) provide, at a minimum, three references from work performed of a similar nature, cited as related experience; reference shall furnish the name, title, address and telephone number of the person(s) at the client organization who is most knowledgeable about the work performed. Contractor may also supply references from other work not cited in this section as related experience.

b. **Proposed Staffing and Project Organization**

This section of the proposal should establish the qualifications of the proposed project staff.

Vendor shall:

- (1) provide education, experience and applicable professional credentials of proposed project staff;
- (2) provide specific professional experience related to each type of service described herein;
- (2) furnish brief resumes (not more than two [2] pages each) for the proposed key personnel;
- (3) indicate adequacy of labor resources;
- (4) identify key personnel proposed to perform the work in the specified tasks and include major areas of sub-contractor work;
- (5) include a project organization chart which clearly delineates communication/reporting relationships among the project staff; and

(6) include a statement that key personnel will be available to the extent proposed for the duration of the project acknowledging that no person designated as "key" to the project shall be removed or replaced without the prior written concurrence of the City.

c. Project Plan and Completion

This section of the proposal should outline the project plan for the services to be performed. Contractor shall provide a narrative which addresses the Scope of Work and shows the contractor's understanding of the City's needs and requirements.

The Project Plan shall:

- (1) describe the approach and methodology for the valuation, including compliance with GASB standards;
- (2) outline the data required from the City and instructions on how the data should be submitted;
- (3) outline sequentially the activities that would be undertaken in completing the required tasks; and
- (4) provide a detailed schedule for project completion and issuance of the report, in terms of elapsed calendar weeks.

d. Exceptions/Deviations

State any exceptions to or deviations from the requirements of this RFP. Where contractor wishes to propose alternative approaches to meeting the City's technical requirements, these should be thoroughly explained. The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all exceptions / deviations at its sole discretion. Contractor shall be bound to accept all RFP requirements and terms and conditions of the Form of Agreement.

e. Fee Proposal

Contractor shall complete and sign the Price Form in Section VI. in its entirety.

f. Appendices

Information considered by contractor to be pertinent to this project and which has not been specifically solicited in any of the aforementioned sections may be placed in a separate appendix section. Contractors are cautioned, however, that this does not constitute an invitation to submit large amounts of extraneous materials; **appendices should be relevant and brief.**

3. LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

By submitting a proposal, contractor warrants that any and all licenses and/or certifications required by law, statute, code or ordinance in performing under the scope and specifications of this RFP are currently held by contractor and are valid and in full force and effect. Copies or legitimate proof of such licensure and/or certification shall be included in contractor's response. Proposals lacking copies and/or proof of said licenses and/or certifications may be deemed non-responsive and may be rejected.

4. COST AND PRICE FORMS

Contractor shall complete the Price Form in its entirety including: 1) all individual tasks listed and total price; 2) basis on which prices are quoted; and 3) Contractor's identification information including a binding signature.

Contractor shall state cash discounts offered. Unless discount payment terms are offered, payment terms shall be "Net 30 Days". Payment due dates, including discount period, will be computed from date of City acceptance of the equipment/materials or required services and a complete invoice, whichever is later, to the date City's check is mailed. Any discounts taken will be taken on full amount of invoice, unless other charges are itemized and discount thereon is disallowed.

5. <u>CONSULTANT PERFORMANCE</u>

It is the intent of the City to create a long-term working partnership with the contractor. The City's representative will be completing a Performance Evaluation Form on a periodic basis. An example of this type of form can be reviewed on the following pages of this Proposal Document. This type of form will be the basis for periodic assessments by the City, to establish contract performance metrics.

6. NON-COLLUSION DECLARATION

Contractor shall complete and sign the Non-Collusion Declaration on the following page and submit with proposal.

7. PROPOSAL CHECKLIST

Ш	Letter of Transmittal
	Technical Proposal
	Non-Collusion Declaration
	Acknowledgment of the Terms and Conditions of the City of Corona
	Maintenance/General Services Agreement
	Insurance Requirements Check Sheet Acknowledgment
	Information Required by Contractor
	Contractor's Statement of Past Contract Disqualifications
	Vendor Performance Evaluation Form Acknowledgment
	Price Form

PARTY SUBMITTING PROPOSAL:	
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NON-COLLUSION DECLARATION (TO BE EXECUTED BY CONTRACTOR AND SUBMITTED WITH PROPOSAL)

The undersigned declares:		
I am the	[proposer], the party making the foreg	_ [title] of oing proposal.
partnership, company, association collusive or a sham. The propose proposer to put in a false or sham conspired, plotted, or agreed with refrain from submitting a proposal sought by agreement, communical proposer or any other proposer, or or of that of any other proposer. As has not, directly or indirectly, subthe contents thereof, or divulge partnership, company, association thereof to effectuate a collusive or or entity for such purpose. Any person executing this partnership, joint venture, limited	e in the interest of, or on behalf of, any undist, organization, or corporation. The proposal is get has not directly or indirectly induced or solid proposal. The proposer has not directly or indirectly any proposer or anyone else to put in a sham all. The proposer has not in any manner, directly tion, or conference with anyone to fix the propose to fix any overhead, profit, or cost element of the all statements contained in the proposal are true, mitted his or her proposal price, or any breakded information or data relative thereto, to any organization, proposal depository, or to any mer sham proposal, and has not paid, and will not per sham proposal, and has not paid, and will not per sham full power to execute, and does execute, to	enuine and not cited any other ectly colluded, proposal, or to y or indirectly, sal price of the proposal price. The proposer own thereof, or y corporation, ember or agent ay, any person a corporation, o, or any other
- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	f perjury under the laws of the State of Calif that this declaration is executed on [city],	
	Signature	[e].
	Typed or Printed Name	
	Title	
	Party Submitting Proposal	

CALIFORNIA ALL-PURPOSE ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California	}	
County of	} ss.	
On	, before me,	
(date)		here insert name and title of the officer)
personally appeared		who proved to me on the
instrument and acknowled	dged to me that he/sh his/her/their signati	on(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within ne/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized are(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity cuted the instrument.
I certify under PENALT foregoing paragraph is tru		under the laws of the State of California that the
WITNESS my hand and o	official seal.	
Signature		[Seal]

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CITY OF CORONA MAINTENANCE/GENERAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

(To be Completed and Submitted with Consultant's Proposal)

This is to acknowledge that we have read the City of Corona Maintenance/General Services Agreement and will sign the Agreement, as presented, without exception, for the City's RFP 21-057RH.

(Firm name)	
(Print name and title of person signing for firm)	
(Signature/date)	

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS CHECK SHEET

(To be Completed and Submitted with Proposal)

Vendors are encouraged to state any exceptions to or deviations from the insurance requirements of this solicitation. The City will evaluate exceptions or deviations from the insurance requirements to determine acceptability. The City reserves the right to reject bids or proposals as non-responsive based on the exceptions or deviations to the insurance requirements.

All applicable insurance requirements will be identified under the "Applicable to Vendor" column with a **YES**.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS CHECK SHEET

This is to acknowledge that we have reviewed the City of Corona Insurance Requirements Check Sheet and understand that we will be able to provide the insurance coverage required unless

exceptions have been disclosed.	
(Firm name)	
(Print name and title of person signing for firm)	
(Signature/date)	

City of Corona RFP Insurance Requirements Check List

	YES	NO	Applicable to Vendor
Can your company provide General Liability - \$1M occurrence/\$2M aggregate?			YES
Can your company provide Automobile Liability - \$1M?			YES
Can your company provide Workers Compensation and Employer's Liability - \$1M?			YES
Can your company provide Errors and Omissions (Professional) Liability Insurance - \$1M occurrence/\$2M aggregate?			Not Applicable
Can your company provide Technology Professional Errors and Omissions Liability Insurance - \$2M occurrence or \$2M aggregate?			Not Applicable
Can your company provide Builders'/All Risk for the completed value of the project naming the City as the loss payee?			Not Applicable
Can your company provide Contractor's Pollution Liability and Transportation Pollution Liability with minimum limits of \$1 million/\$2 million with a primary Additional Insured endorsement?			Not Applicable
Can your company provide coverage with an insurer with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than (A-):VII and licensed as an admitted insurance carrier in California?			YES
Can your company provide coverage with an insurer with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than (A-):X and authorized to issue the required policies in California?			YES

Insurance Endorsements General Liability

General Liability			
	YES	NO	Applicable to Vendor
(Occurrence form CG 0001)			YES
Will your company provide an insurance policy that states the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be covered as additional insured with respect to liability arising out of work or operations performed by or on behalf of the Contractor, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection therewith?			YES
Will your company provide an insurance policy that states any person or organization whom you have agreed to include as an additional insured under a written contract? provided such contract was executed prior to the date of loss?			YES
Can your company provide Completed Operations as evidenced with the following endorsements?			YES
Endorsement form CG 20 10 11 85 OR			YES
CG 20 37 and one of the following			YES
CG 20 10			
CG 20 26			
CG 20 33			YES
CG 20 38			. =0
Will your company provide a General Liability endorsement stating that the insurance coverage shall be primary any City insurance will be in excess of the contractors insurance and will not be called upon to contribute Endorsement Form shall be as broad as CG 20 01 04 13?			YES

Automobile Liability

	YES	NO	Applicable to Vendor
Does your insurance cover Owned automobiles with Form number CA 0001			
code 1 (Any Auto)?			YES
If your company does not have owned automobiles, does your insurance cover			
No owned autos Code 8 (hired) and 9 (non-owned)?			YES

Workers' Compensation

	YES	NO	Applicable to Vendor
Will your company provide a waiver for all rights of subrogation against the			
City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers for			
losses paid under the terms of the insurance policy which arise from work or			
Services performed by the Consultant?			YES
Will your company provide a Waiver of Subrogation – All Other Policies.			
Consultant hereby waives all rights of subrogation any insurer of Consultant's			
may acquire against the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents,			
and volunteers for losses paid under the terms of any insurance policy which			
arise from work or Services performed by the Consultant?			YES
Will your insurance policies have a (30) days' notice of cancellation			
endorsement?			YES
If your firm is unable to provide a (30) day notice of cancellation will your firm			
sign a City provided statement that the Vendor shall notify the City within two			
business days any notice of cancellation?			YES
Does your insurance have any deductibles and/or self-insurance retentions?			YES

Use the space below to explain any " No " responses.

INFORMATION REQUIRED OF CONTRACTORS

[***Indicate not applicable ("N/A") where appropriate***]

NOTE: Where Contractor is a joint venture, pages shall be duplicated and information provided for all parties to the joint venture.

Na	me of Contractor:
Ty	pe, if Entity:
Co	ntractor Address:
Em	ail Address Telephone Number
	w many years has Contractor's organization been in business as a going acern?
	w many years has Contractor's organization been in business under its present ne?
5.1	Under what other or former names has Contractor's organization operated?
If C	Contractor's organization is a corporation, answer the following:
6.1	Date of Incorporation:
6.2	State of Incorporation:
6.3	President's Name:
6.4	Vice-President's Name(s):
6.5	Secretary's Name:
6.6	Treasurer's Name:
If a	n individual or a partnership, answer the following:
7.1	Date of Organization:

7.2	Name and address of all partners (state whether general or limited partnership):
If otl	her than a corporation or partnership, describe organization an
princi	ipals:
List of busin	other states in which Contractor's organization is legally qualifie
——What	type of work does the Contractor normally perform with its own for
	Consultant ever failed to complete any work awarded to it? If so, note, and why:
projec agenc <i>reject</i>	Consultant entered into a settlement agreement involving a public of more than \$100,000 within the last two years with any City of the set of the proposal as nonresponsive or the Consultant as non-responsing a hearing.
ever l	n the last five years, has any officer or partner of Contractor's organization when it failed to contact? If so, attach a separate sheet of explanation:

List Trade Ref	orangas:		
List Trade Ker	erences.		
List Bank Refe	erences (Bank		

CONTRACTOR'S STATEMENT OF PAST CONTRACT DISQUALIFICATIONS

Contractor is required to state any and all instances of being disqualified, removed, or otherwise prevented from submitting a proposal, or completing any, contracts for similar services as detailed in RFP 21-057RH.

1.	Have you eve	er been disqualified from any contract?		
2.	If yes, explai	n the circumstances:		
			Signature of Consultant	



Vendor Performance Evaluation Form

Department:						Division	1:		
Prepared By: Title:									
Vendor Name:				P.O. #:					
Contract Amount: S	\$			Chan	Change Order Amount: \$				
Project Name:									
Description of Proje	ect:								
Date Prepared:									
Performance Evalu	ation Period: (sel	ect on	e)						
Weekly	Monthly	\bigcirc	Quarterly	\bigcirc	An	nually	\bigcirc	Other	
Vendor Category: (select one)	<u>'</u>							
General and Maintenance Services - Commercial services provided on a frequent basis such as catering, lawn service, general maintenance, or cleaning. Professional Service - unique, techni and/or infrequent functions performed by independent consultant/vendor qualified education, experience, and/or techni ability to provide services.						ned by an alified by			
Products - a supplier of a tangible object that is manufactured or refined for sale. Software - a supplier of technolog infrastructure or any license/maintenance based, or cloud based software, requirin access to the City's information technolog system.						intenance requiring			
Evaluation Score R		Fact	ors						
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- 1. Quality of Goods and Services: A measure to determine if the goods/ service received met the quality desired.
- 2. Quality of Work Performed: A measure to determine if the actual performed met the quality desired.
- 3. Timeliness of Delivery of Goods: A measure to determine if the goods delivered met (at minimum) the date specified to the vendor.
- 4. Compliance with Law and Regulations: A measure to determine if the supplier adhered to compliance law and regulations related to the nature of work or product delivered.
- 5. Safety and Protection: A measure to determine if the supplier followed all safety precautions and wore the appropriate protection gear to perform the service.

- 6. Appropriate of Tools/Technology: A measure to determine if the vendor provided tools/technology that aligned with requirements.
- 7. Customer Service: How knowledgeable was the vendor regarding the product or service, was the vendor proactive in addressing City staff problems or concerns regarding the product or service.
- **8.** Overall Timeliness of Invoices: Invoices for payment were submitted on a timely basis reflective to the contract.
- 9. Overall accuracy of Invoices: Invoices for payment were accurate and complete, covering the Work completed as of the date of the Application, inclusive of all required attachments and backup data

For each category identified below, enter the score (1-5) with 1 being unsatisfactory and 5 being excellent

Evaluation Criteria	Eva	Evaluation Score				
Quality of Goods and Services	5	4	3	2	1	
2. Quality of Work Performed	5	4	3	2	1	
3. Timeliness of Delivery of Goods	5	4	3	2	1	
4. Compliance with Law and Regulations	5	4	3	2	1	
5. Safety and Protection	5	4	3	2	1	
6. Appropriate of Tools/Technology	5	4	3	2	1	
7. Customer Service	5	4	3	2	1	
8. Overall Timeliness of Invoices	5	4	3	2	1	
9. Overall accuracy of Invoices	5	4	3	2	1	

EXAMPLE:

OVERALL EVALUATION SCORE 4.89

OVERALL EVALUATION RATING EXCELLENT

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF THE VENDOR PERFORMANCE EVALUATION FORM

This is to acknowledge that we have read the City of Corona Vendor Performance Evaluati Form and understand a version of this type of form will be used to provide the basis for period assessments by the City to establish contract performance metrics.					
(Firm name)					
(Print name and title of person signing for firm)					
(Signature/date)					

SECTION VI.

PRICE FORM

Labor Regular Hours Rate (hourly):

Superintendent	\$
Foreman	\$
Equipment operator	\$
Certified welder	\$
Pipe layer	\$
Labor	\$
Apprentice	\$
Labor Overtime Rate (hourly):	
Superintendent	\$
Foreman	\$
Equipment operator	\$
Certified welder	\$
Pipe layer	\$
Labor	\$
Apprentice	\$
Equipment rate (hourly :	
Excavator with all necessary attachments	\$
Backhoe with all necessary attachments	\$
Compressor	\$
Tool truck	\$

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Pickup truck 1/4 ton			\$	
Pickup truck ½ ton			\$	
Pickup truck ¾ ton			\$	
Pickup truck 1 ton			\$	
Pickup truck 1.5 ton			\$	
Pickup truck 2-ton dual axle			\$	
Dump truck single axle			\$	
Dump truck dual axle			\$	
<u>Light Tower</u>				
Shoring/shield rental cost			+	
Materials actual cost			+	%
City to provide all repair materials copper fittings, full circle repair cla the right to request the contractor t will be allowed to bill for such serv provide all necessary invoices and	nmps, couplings, base o supply the material vice at cost +	se, sand, and cold mals and parts at its di	ix. The City res	serves actor
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS:	RFP 21-057RH			
DESCRIPTION OF WORK:	REPAIR SERV	IERGENCY - ESS ICES FOR POTAI WATER - WASTE	BLE WATER	· -
CONTRACTOR'S NAME/ADDR	ESS:			
	-			

NAME/TELEPHONE NO. OF AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
Please provide detailed costs of total project listing all the tasks and their individual costs. Additionally, provide standard schedules of charges that include hourly rates for professional services, overhead and direct costs.
NOTE: Price proposals submitted on forms other than those provided herein may cause rejection of the proposal as non-responsive.
Are there any other additional or incidental costs which will be required by your firm in order to meet the requirements of the Scope of Work? Yes / No (circle one). If you answered "Yes", please provide detail of said additional costs:
Please indicate any elements of the Scope of Work which cannot be met by your firm.
Have you included in your proposal all requested informational items and forms? Yes / No (circle one). If you answered "No", please explain:

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On-Call / Emergency - Essential Systems Repair Services For Potable Water - Reclaimed Water - Wastewater

Have you been on any federal list of debarred or suspended contractors? Yes / No (circle one).

This offer shall remain firm for 90 days from RFP close date. Terms and conditions as set forth in this RFP apply to this proposal. Unless otherwise stated, payment terms are: Net thirty (30) days. In signing this proposal, Contractor warrants that all certifications and documents requested herein are attached and properly completed and signed. From time to time, the City may issue one or more addenda to this RFP. Below, please indicate all Addenda to this RFP received by your firm, and the date said Addenda was/were received. It is Contractor's responsibility to ensure that all addenda are received. Failure to acknowledge receipt of addenda may cause the City to reject the proposal as non-responsive. Verification of Addenda Received Addenda No: Received on: Addenda No: _____ Received on: _____ Addenda No: _____ Received on: _____ **AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE:** PRINT SIGNER'S NAME AND TITLE: DATE SIGNED: COMPANY NAME & ADDRESS: PHONE: EMAIL:

DIR REGISTRATION NO.:

SECTION VII.

Form of Agreement

CITY OF CORONA
MAINTENANCE/GENERAL SERVICES AGREEMENT
WITH [***INSERT NAME***]

WITH [***INSERT NAME***]
ON-CALL / EMERGENCY - ESSENTIAL SYSTEMS REPAIR SERVICES FOR
POTABLE WATER - RECLAIMED WATER - WASTEWATER

[***MODEL - REMOVE THIS TITLE WHEN USED***]

CITY OF CORONA

MAINTENANCE/GENERAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH ***INSERT NAME***

(ON-CALL / EMERGENCY – ESSENTIAL SYSTEMS REPAIR SERVICES FOR POTABLE WATER – RECLAIMED WATER - WASTEWATER)

1. PARTIES AND DATE.

This Agreement is made and entered into this [***INSERT DAY***] day of [***INSERT MONTH***], [***INSERT YEAR***] ("Effective Date") by and between the City of Corona, a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of California with its principal place of business at 400 South Vicentia Avenue, Corona, California 92882 ("City") and [***INSERT NAME***], a [***[INSERT TYPE OF ENTITY - CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP OR OTHER LEGAL ENTITY]***] with its principal place of business at [***INSERT ADDRESS***] ("Contractor"). City and Contractor are sometimes individually referred to as "Party" and collectively as "Parties" in this Agreement.

2. RECITALS.

2.1 Contractor.

Contractor desires to perform and assume responsibility for the provision of certain maintenance or other general services required by the City on the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement. Contractor represents that it is experienced in providing On-Call / Emergency – Essential Systems Repair Services for Potable Water – Reclaimed Water – Wastewater services to public clients, that it and its employees or subcontractors have all necessary licenses and permits to perform the Services in the State of California, and that is familiar with the plans of City. Contractor shall not subcontract any portion of the work required by this Agreement, except as expressly stated herein, without prior written approval of City. Subcontracts, if any, shall contain a provision making them subject to all provisions stipulated in this Agreement.

2.2 Project.

City desires to engage Contractor to render such services for the On-Call / Emergency – Essential Systems Repair Services for Potable Water – Reclaimed Water – Wastewater project ("Project") as set forth in this Agreement.

2.3 Corona Utility Authority.

Contractor understands that the City has entered into a Water Enterprise Management Agreement and a Wastewater Enterprise Management Agreement, both dated as of February 6, 2002, with the Corona Utility Authority ("CUA") for the maintenance, management and operation of those utility systems (collectively, the "CUA Management Agreements"). To the extent that this Agreement is deemed to be a "material contract" under either of the CUA Management Agreements, City enters into this Agreement on behalf of the CUA and subject to the terms of the applicable CUA Management Agreement(s).

3. TERMS.

3.1 Scope of Services and Term.

3.1.1 <u>General Scope of Services</u>. Contractor promises and agrees to furnish to the City all labor, materials, tools, equipment, services, and incidental and customary work necessary to fully and adequately supply the professional [***INSERT TYPE OF SERVICES***] maintenance or other general services necessary for the Project ("Services"). The Services are more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by

reference. All Services shall be subject to, and performed in accordance with, this Agreement, the exhibits attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and all applicable local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations.

3.1.2 Term. The term of this Agreement shall be from [***INSERT START DATE***] to [***INSERT ENDING DATE***] ("Term"), unless earlier terminated as provided herein. Contractor shall complete the Services within the Term of this Agreement, and shall meet any other established schedules and deadlines. The Parties may, by mutual, written consent, extend the Term of this Agreement one or more times by executing a written amendment pursuant to Section 3.5.8 below (each a "Renewal Term"). The terms "Term" and "Renewal Term" may sometimes be generally and collectively referred to as "Term" in this Agreement.

3.2 Responsibilities of Contractor.

- 3.2.1 Control and Payment of Subordinates; Independent Contractor. The Services shall be performed by Contractor or under its supervision. Contractor will determine the means, methods and details of performing the Services subject to the requirements of this Agreement. City retains Contractor on an independent contractor basis and not as an employee. Contractor retains the right to perform similar or different services for others during the Term of this Agreement. Any additional personnel performing the Services under this Agreement on behalf of Contractor shall also not be employees of City and shall at all times be under Contractor's exclusive direction and control. Contractor shall pay all wages, salaries, and other amounts due such personnel in connection with their performance of Services under this Agreement and as required by law. Contractor shall be responsible for all reports and obligations respecting such additional personnel, including, but not limited to: social security taxes, income tax withholding, unemployment insurance, disability insurance, and workers' compensation insurance.
- 3.2.2 <u>Schedule of Services</u>. Contractor shall perform the Services within the Term of this Agreement, in accordance with the Schedule of Services set forth in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and in accordance with any other completion schedule or milestones which may be separately agreed upon in writing by the Parties. Contractor represents that it has the professional and technical personnel required to perform the Services in conformance with such conditions. In order to facilitate Contractor's conformance with the Schedule, City shall respond to Contractor's submittals in a timely manner. Upon request of City, Contractor shall provide a more detailed schedule of anticipated performance to meet the Schedule of Services.
- 3.2.3 <u>Conformance to Applicable Requirements.</u> All Services performed by Contractor shall be subject to the approval of City.
- 3.2.4 <u>City's Representative</u>. The City hereby designates Tom Moody, or his or her designee, to act as its representative for the performance of this Agreement ("City's Representative"). City's Representative shall have the power to act on behalf of the City for all purposes under this Agreement. Contractor shall not accept direction or orders from any person other than the City's Representative or his or her designee.
- 3.2.5 Contractor's Representative. Contractor hereby designates [***INSERT NAME OR TITLE***], or his or her designee, to act as its representative for the performance of this Agreement ("Contractor's Representative"). Contractor's Representative shall have full authority to represent and act on behalf of the Contractor for all purposes under this Agreement. The Contractor's Representative shall supervise and direct the Services, using his best skill and attention, and shall be responsible for all means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures and for the satisfactory coordination of all portions of the Services under this Agreement.
- 3.2.6 <u>Coordination of Services</u>. Contractor agrees to work closely with City staff in the performance of Services and shall be available to City's staff, consultants and other staff at all reasonable times.
- 3.2.7 <u>Standard of Care; Performance of Employees</u>. Contractor shall perform all Services under this Agreement in a skillful and competent manner, consistent with the standards generally recognized as being employed by professionals in the same discipline in the State of California. Contractor represents and maintains that it is skilled in the professional calling necessary to perform the Services. Contractor agrees that all employees and

subcontractors shall have sufficient skill and experience to perform the Services assigned to them. Finally, Contractor represents that it, its employees and subcontractors shall have all licenses, permits, qualifications and approvals of whatever nature that are legally required to perform the Services, including a City Business License, and that such licenses and approvals shall be maintained throughout the Term of this Agreement. As provided for in the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, Contractor shall perform, at its own cost and expense and without reimbursement from the City, any services necessary to correct errors or omissions which are caused by the Contractor's failure to comply with the standard of care provided for herein. Any employee of the Contractor or its sub-contractors who is determined by the City to be uncooperative, incompetent, a threat to the adequate or timely completion of the Project, a threat to the safety of persons or property, or any employee who fails or refuses to perform the Services in a manner acceptable to the City, shall be promptly removed from the Project by the Contractor and shall not be re-employed to perform any of the Services or to work on the Project.

- 3.2.8 <u>Disputes</u>. Should any dispute arise respecting the true value of any work done, of any work omitted, or of any extra work which Contractor may be required to do, or respecting the size of any payment to Contractor during the performance of this Contract, Contractor shall continue to perform the Work while said dispute is decided by the City. If Contractor disputes the City's decision, Contractor shall have such remedies as may be provided by law.
- Laws and Regulations; Employee/Labor Certifications. Contractor shall keep itself fully 3.2.9 informed of and in compliance with all local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations in any manner affecting the performance of the Project or the Services, including all Cal/OSHA requirements, and shall give all notices required by law. Contractor shall be liable for all violations of such laws and regulations in connection with Services. If the Contractor performs any work or Services knowing them to be contrary to such laws, rules and regulations and without giving written notice to the City, Contractor shall be solely responsible for all costs arising therefrom. City is a public entity of the State of California subject to certain provisions of the Health & Safety Code, Government Code, Public Contract Code, and Labor Code of the State. It is stipulated and agreed that all provisions of the law applicable to the public contracts of a municipality are a part of this Contract to the same extent as though set forth herein and will be complied with. These include but are not limited to the payment of prevailing wages, the stipulation that eight (8) hours' labor shall constitute a legal day's work and that no worker shall be permitted to work in excess of eight (8) hours during any one calendar day except as permitted by law. Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold City, its officials, directors, officers, employees and agents free and harmless, pursuant to the indemnification provisions of this Agreement, from any claim or liability arising out of any failure or alleged failure to comply with such laws, rules or regulations.
- 3.2.9.1 Employment Eligibility; Contractor. By executing this Agreement, Contractor verifies that it fully complies with all requirements and restrictions of state and federal law respecting the employment of undocumented aliens, including, but not limited to, the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, as may be amended from time to time. Such requirements and restrictions include, but are not limited to, examination and retention of documentation confirming the identity and immigration status of each employee of the Contractor. Contractor also verifies that it has not committed a violation of any such law within the five (5) years immediately preceding the date of execution of this Agreement, and shall not violate any such law at any time during the Term of the Agreement. Contractor shall avoid any violation of any such law during the Term of this Agreement by participating in an electronic verification of work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security, by participating in an equivalent federal work authorization program operated by the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify information of newly hired employees, or by some other legally acceptable method. Contractor shall maintain records of each such verification, and shall make them available to the City or its representatives for inspection and copy at any time during normal business hours. The City shall not be responsible for any costs or expenses related to Contractor's compliance with the requirements provided for in Section 3.2.9 or any of its sub-sections.

3.2.9.2 <u>Employment Eligibility; Subcontractors, Sub-subcontractors and Consultants.</u> To the same extent and under the same conditions as Contractor, Contractor shall require all of its subcontractors, sub-

subcontractors and consultants performing any work or Services relating to the Project or this Agreement to make the same verifications and comply with all requirements and restrictions provided for in Section 3.2.9.1.

- 3.2.9.3 Employment Eligibility; Failure to Comply. Each person executing this Agreement on behalf of Contractor verifies that they are a duly authorized officer of Contractor, and understands that any of the following shall be grounds for the City to terminate the Agreement for cause: (1) failure of Contractor or its subcontractors, sub-subcontractors or consultants to meet any of the requirements provided for in Sections 3.2.9.1 or 3.2.9.2; (2) any misrepresentation or material omission concerning compliance with such requirements (including in those verifications provided to the Contractor under Section 3.2.9.2); or (3) failure to immediately remove from the Project any person found not to be in compliance with such requirements.
- 3.2.9.4 <u>Labor Certification</u>. By its signature hereunder, Contractor certifies that it is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the California Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for Workers' Compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that Code, and agrees to comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the Services.
- 3.2.9.5 <u>Equal Opportunity Employment</u>. Contractor represents that it is an equal opportunity employer and it shall not discriminate against any subconsultant, employee or applicant for employment because of race, religion, color, national origin, handicap, ancestry, sex or age. Such non-discrimination shall include, but not be limited to, all activities related to initial employment, upgrading, demotion, transfer, recruitment or recruitment advertising, layoff or termination. Contractor shall also comply with all relevant provisions of City's Minority Business Enterprise program, Affirmative Action Plan or other related programs or guidelines currently in effect or hereinafter enacted.
- 3.2.9.6 <u>Air Quality</u>. Contractor must fully comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations in furnishing or using equipment and/or providing services, including, but not limited to, emissions limits and permitting requirements imposed by the South Coast Air Quality Management District (SCAQMD) and/or California Air Resources Board (CARB). Although the SCAQMD and CARB limits and requirements are more broad, Contractor shall specifically be aware of their application to "portable equipment", which definition is considered by SCAQMD and CARB to include any item of equipment with a fuel-powered engine. Contractor shall indemnify City against any fines or penalties imposed by SCAQMD, CARB, or any other governmental or regulatory agency for violations of applicable laws, rules and/or regulations by Contractor, its subcontractors, or others for whom Contractor is responsible under its indemnity obligations provided for in this Agreement.

3.2.10 Insurance.

- 3.2.10.1 <u>Time for Compliance</u>. Promptly following the Effective Date of this Agreement, but in no event before Contractor commences any Services under this Agreement, Contractor shall provide evidence satisfactory to the City that it has secured all insurance required under this section. Failure to provide and maintain all required insurance shall be grounds for the City to terminate this Agreement for cause.
- 3.2.10.2 <u>Minimum Requirements</u>. Contractor shall, at its expense, procure and maintain for the duration of the Agreement insurance against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the Agreement by the Contractor, its agents, representatives, employees or subcontractors. Contractor shall also require all of its subcontractors to procure and maintain the same insurance for the duration of the Agreement. Such insurance shall meet at least the following minimum levels of coverage:
- (A) <u>Minimum Scope of Insurance</u>. Coverage shall be at least as broad as the latest version of the following: (1) *General Liability*: Insurance Services Office Commercial General Liability coverage (occurrence form CG 0001); (2) *Automobile Liability*: Insurance Services Office Business Auto Coverage form number CA 0001, code 1 (any auto), or if Contractor has no owned autos, Code 8 (hired) and 9 (non-owned);

- and (3) Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability: Workers' Compensation insurance as required by the State of California and Employer's Liability Insurance.
- (B) <u>Minimum Limits of Insurance</u>. Contractor shall maintain limits no less than: (1) *General Liability*: \$1,000,000 per occurrence for bodily injury, personal injury, advertising injury and property damage. If Commercial General Liability Insurance or other form with general aggregate limit is used including, but not limited to, form CG 2503, either the general aggregate limit shall apply separately to this Agreement/location or the general aggregate limit shall be twice the required occurrence limit; (2) *Automobile Liability*: \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury and property damage; and (3) *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability*: Workers' Compensation limits as required by the Labor Code of the State of California. Employer's Liability limits of \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury or disease.
- 3.2.10.3 <u>Insurance Endorsements</u>. The insurance policies shall contain or be endorsed (amended) to include the following provisions:
- (A) <u>General Liability</u>. The general liability policy shall state that: (1) the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be covered as additional insured with respect to liability arising out of work or operations performed by or on behalf of the Contractor, including materials, parts or equipment furnished in connection therewith (the endorsement form shall be at least as broad as ISO Form CG 20 10 11 85 or both CG 20 37 and one of the following: CG 20 10, CG 20 26, CG 20 33 or CG 20 38); and (2) the insurance coverage shall be primary insurance coverage as respects the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers (the endorsement form shall be at least as broad as ISO CG 20 01 04 13). Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers shall be excess of the Contractor's insurance and shall not be called upon to contribute with it in any way.
- (B) <u>Waiver of Subrogation Workers' Compensation and Employer's</u> <u>Liability Coverage</u>. The insurer shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers for losses paid under the terms of the insurance policy which arise from work or Services performed by the Contractor.
- (C) All Coverages. If Contractor maintains broader coverage and/or higher limits than the minimums shown above, the City is entitled to the broader coverage and/or higher limits maintained by Contractor. Thus, any available insurance proceeds in excess of the specified minimum limits of insurance and coverage shall be available to the City.
- 3.2.10.4 Other Provisions; Endorsements Preferred. Contractor shall endeavor to provide endorsements regarding the following provisions, but nonetheless understands, acknowledges and agrees that the following provisions shall apply and that failure to comply shall be considered to be a breach of this Agreement by Contractor:
- (A) <u>Waiver of Subrogation All Other Policies</u>. Contractor hereby waives all rights of subrogation any insurer of Contractor's may acquire against the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers for losses paid under the terms of any insurance policy which arise from work or Services performed by the Contractor. Contractor understands, acknowledges and agrees that this provision is in full force and effect even if the City does not receive a waiver of subrogation endorsement from the insurer.
- (B) <u>Notice</u>. Contractor shall either: (1) require its insurer to provide thirty (30) days prior written notice to the City before coverage is suspended, voided, or canceled; or (2) notify City in writing that such notice is not available and forward any notice of such actions to the City within two (2) business days from date of receipt by Contractor. Contractor understands, acknowledges and agrees that this provision is in full force and effect even if the City does not receive a waiver of subrogation endorsement from the insurer.

3.2.10.5 <u>Claims Made Policies</u>. The following provisions shall apply to all policies that provide coverage on a claims-made basis: (A) the retroactive date must be shown and must be before the date on which any Services under this Agreement commence; (B) the insurance must be maintained and evidence of insurance must be provided for at least five (5) years after completion of the Project; and (C) if coverage is canceled or not renewed and is not replaced with another claims-made policy with a retroactive date prior to the date on which any Services under this Agreement commence, Contractor must purchase "extended reporting" coverage for a minimum of five (5) years after completion of Project.

3.2.10.6 <u>Deductibles and Self-Insurance Retentions</u>. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions must be declared to and approved by the City. The City may require the Contractor to provide proof of ability to pay losses and related investigation, claims administration and defense expenses within the deductible or self-insured retention. The deductible or self-insured retention may be satisfied by either the named insured or the City.

3.2.10.7 <u>Acceptability of Insurers</u>. Unless under the circumstances a different rating is otherwise acceptable to the City in its sole and absolute discretion, insurance is to be placed with insurers which are satisfactory to the City and which meet either of the following criteria: (1) an insurer with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than A-:VII and licensed as an admitted insurance carrier in California; or (2) an insurer with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than A-:X and authorized to issue the required policies in California.

3.2.10.8 <u>Verification of Coverage</u>. Contractor shall furnish City with original certificates of insurance, as well as amendatory endorsements or copies of the applicable policy language effecting coverage required by this Agreement. All documents must be received and approved by the City before any Services commence; provided, however, that failure to obtain the required documents prior to the commencement of Services shall not waive Contractor's obligation to provide them. The City reserves the right to require complete, certified copies of all required insurance policies, at any time.

3.2.10.9 <u>Reporting of Claims</u>. Contractor shall report to the City, in addition to Contractor's insurer, any and all insurance claims submitted by Contractor in connection with the Services under this Agreement.

3.2.10.10 <u>Sub-Contractors</u>. All subcontractors shall comply with each and every insurance provision of this Section 3.2.10. Contractor shall therefore not allow any subcontractor to commence work on any subcontract to perform any part of the Services until it has provided evidence satisfactory to the City that the subcontractor has secured all insurance required under this Agreement.

3.2.10.11 Special Risk or Circumstances. The City reserves the right, in its sole and absolute discretion, to modify the requirements of this Section 3.2.10, including limits, based on any of the following: (A) the nature of the risk of the Services; (B) the prior experience of the insured; (C) the rating or other quality or characteristic of the insurer; (D) any special or unique coverage issues; and (E) any other special or unique circumstances.

3.2.11 Safety. Contractor shall execute and maintain its work and Services so as to avoid injury or damage to any person or property. In carrying out its Services, the Contractor shall at all times be in compliance with all applicable local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations, and shall exercise all necessary precautions for the safety of employees appropriate to the nature of the Services and the conditions under which the Services are to be performed.

3.2.12 Bonds.

3.2.12.1 <u>Performance Bond</u>. If required by law or otherwise specifically requested by City in Exhibit "C" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, Contractor shall execute and provide to City

concurrently with this Agreement a Performance Bond in the amount of the Total Compensation indicated in this Agreement, and in a form provided or approved by the City. If such bond is required, no payment will be made to Contractor until it has been received and approved by the City.

3.2.12.2 <u>Payment Bond</u>. If required by law or otherwise specifically requested by City in Exhibit "C" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, Contractor shall execute and provide to City concurrently with this Agreement a Payment Bond in the amount of the Total Compensation indicated in this Agreement, and in a form provided or approved by the City. If such bond is required, no payment will be made to Contractor until it has been received and approved by the City.

3.2.12.3 <u>Bond Provisions</u>. Should, in City's sole opinion, any bond become insufficient or any surety be found to be unsatisfactory, Contractor shall renew or replace the affected bond within 10 days of receiving notice from City. In the event the surety or Contractor intends to reduce or cancel any required bond, at least thirty (30) days prior written notice shall be given to the City, and Contractor shall post acceptable replacement bonds at least ten (10) days prior to expiration of the original bonds. No further payments shall be deemed due or will be made under this Agreement until any replacement bonds required by this section are accepted by the City. To the extent, if any, that the Total Compensation is increased in accordance with the Agreement, the Contractor shall, upon request of the City, cause the amount of the bonds to be increased accordingly and shall promptly deliver satisfactory evidence of such increase to the City. To the extent available, the bonds shall further provide that no change or alteration of the Agreement (including, without limitation, an increase in the Total Compensation, as referred to above), extensions of time, or modifications of the time, terms, or conditions of payment to the Contractor, will release the surety. If the Contractor fails to furnish any required bond, the City may terminate this Agreement for cause.

3.2.12.4 <u>Surety Qualifications</u>. The bonds must be provided by a surety which is satisfactory to the City and which meets either of the following criteria: (1) a surety with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than A-:VII and licensed as an admitted surety insurer in California; or (2) a surety with a current A.M. Best's rating no less than A-:X and authorized to issue the required bonds in California. If a surety does not meet these requirements, the insurer will be considered qualified if it is in conformance with Section 995.660 of the California Code of Civil Procedure, and proof of such is provided to the City.

3.2.13 Accounting Records. Contractor shall maintain complete and accurate records with respect to all costs and expenses incurred under this Agreement. All such records shall be clearly identifiable. Contractor shall allow a representative of City during normal business hours to examine, audit, and make transcripts or copies of such records and any other documents created pursuant to this Agreement. Contractor shall allow inspection of all work, data, documents, proceedings, and activities related to the Agreement for a period of three (3) years from the date of final payment under this Agreement.

3.3 Fees and Payments.

- 3.3.1 <u>Rates & Total Compensation</u>. Contractor shall receive compensation, including authorized reimbursements, for all Services rendered under this Agreement at the rates set forth in Exhibit "C" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. The total compensation, including authorized reimbursements, shall not exceed [***INSERT WRITTEN DOLLAR AMOUNT***] (\$[***INSERT NUMERICAL DOLLAR AMOUNT***]) ("Total Compensation") without written approval of City's Representative. Extra Work may be authorized, as described below, and if authorized, will be compensated at the rates and manner set forth in this Agreement.
- 3.3.2 <u>Payment of Compensation</u>. Contractor shall submit to City a monthly itemized statement which indicates work completed and hours of Services rendered by Contractor. The statement shall describe the amount of Services and supplies provided since the initial commencement date, or since the start of the subsequent billing periods, as appropriate, through the date of the statement. City shall, within 30 days of receiving such statement, review the statement and pay all approved charges thereon.

- 3.3.3 <u>Reimbursement for Expenses</u>. Contractor shall not be reimbursed for any expenses unless authorized in writing by City.
- 3.3.4 <u>Extra Work</u>. At any time during the Term of this Agreement, City may request that Contractor perform Extra Work. As used herein, "Extra Work" means any work which is determined by City to be necessary for the proper completion of the Project, but which the Parties did not reasonably anticipate would be necessary at the execution of this Agreement. Contractor shall not perform, nor be compensated for, Extra Work without written authorization from City's Representative.
- Prevailing Wages. Contractor is aware of the requirements of Chapter 1 (beginning at Section 1720 et seq.) of Part 7 of Division 2 of the California Labor Code, as well as Title 8, Section 16000 et seq. of the California Code of Regulations ("Prevailing Wage Laws"), which require the payment of prevailing wage rates and the performance of other requirements on "public works" and "maintenance" projects. If the Services are being performed as part of an applicable "public works" or "maintenance" project, as defined by the Prevailing Wage Laws, and if the Total Compensation is \$1,000 or more, Contractor and its subcontractors shall fully comply with the Prevailing Wage Laws for their employees and any others to whom such laws are applicable. Contractor and its subcontractors shall also be responsible for any and all violations and fines imposed on them pursuant to the Prevailing Wage Laws. Pursuant to SB 854, which amended the Prevailing Wage Laws, this Agreement would also be subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the California Department of Industrial Relations ("DIR"). Beginning April 1, 2015, no contractor or subcontractor may be awarded this Agreement unless registered with the DIR pursuant to Labor Code Section 1725.5. The City will report all necessary agreements to the DIR as required by the Prevailing Wage Laws. Contractor shall make copies of the prevailing rates of per diem wages for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to execute the Services available to interested parties upon request, and shall post copies at the Contractor's principal place of business and at the Project site. It is most efficient for the Contractor to obtain a copy of the prevailing wages in effect at the commencement of this Agreement from the website of the Division of Labor Statistics and Research of the DIR located at www.dir.ca.gov/dlsr/. In the alternative, Contractor may obtain a copy of the prevailing wages from the City's Representative. Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold the City, its elected officials, officers, employees and agents free and harmless from any claim or liability arising out of any failure or alleged failure to comply with the Prevailing Wage Laws.
- 3.3.6 <u>Apprenticeable Crafts.</u> If the services are being performed as part of an applicable "public works" or "maintenance" project, as defined by the Prevailing Wage Laws, Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Section 1777.5 of the California Labor Code with respect to the employment of properly registered apprentices upon public works when Contractor employs workmen in an apprenticeable craft or trade. The primary responsibility for compliance with said section for all apprenticeable occupations shall be with Contractor.

3.4 Termination of Agreement.

- 3.4.1 <u>Grounds for Termination</u>. City may, by written notice to Contractor, terminate the whole or any part of this Agreement at any time and without cause by giving written notice to Contractor of such termination, and specifying the effective date thereof, at least seven (7) days before the effective date of such termination. Upon termination, Contractor shall be compensated only for those Services which have been adequately rendered to City, as well as any authorized reimbursable expenses, and Contractor shall be entitled to no further compensation. Contractor may not terminate this Agreement except for cause.
- 3.4.2 <u>Effect of Termination</u>. If this Agreement is terminated as provided herein, City may require Contractor to provide all finished or unfinished Documents and Data and other information of any kind prepared by Contractor in connection with the performance of Services under this Agreement. Contractor shall be required to provide such document and other information within fifteen (15) days of the request.
- 3.4.3 <u>Additional Services</u>. In the event this Agreement is terminated in whole or in part as provided herein, City may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it may determine appropriate, services similar to those terminated.

3.5 General Provisions.

3.5.1 <u>Delivery of Notices</u>. All notices permitted or required under this Agreement shall be given to the respective Parties at the following address, or at such other address as the respective Parties may provide in writing for this purpose:

Contractor:

[***INSERT NAME, ADDRESS & CONTACT PERSON***]

City:

City of Corona 400 South Vicentia Avenue Corona, CA 92882

Attn: General Manager, Department of Water and Power or their authorized designee

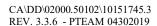
Such notice shall be deemed made when personally delivered or when mailed, forty-eight (48) hours after deposit in the U.S. Mail, first class postage prepaid and addressed to the Party at its applicable address. Actual notice shall be deemed adequate notice on the date actual notice occurred, regardless of the method of service.

- 3.5.2 <u>Indemnification</u>. To the fullest extent permitted by law, Contractor shall defend (with counsel of City's choosing), indemnify and hold the City, its directors, officials, officers, employees, volunteers and agents free and harmless from any and all claims, demands, causes of action, costs, expenses, liability, loss, damage or injury of any kind, in law or equity, to property or persons, including wrongful death, to the extent arising out of, pertaining to, or incident to any alleged willful misconduct or negligent acts, errors or omissions of Contractor, its officials, officers, employees, subcontractors, consultants or agents in connection with the performance of the Contractor's Services, the Project or this Agreement, including without limitation the payment of all settlement amounts, expert witness fees and attorneys fees and other related costs and expenses. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent Contractor's Services are subject to Civil Code Section 2782.8, the above indemnity shall be limited, to the extent required by Civil Code Section 2782.8, to claims that arise out of, pertain to, or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of the Contractor. Contractor's obligation to indemnify shall survive expiration or termination of this Agreement, and shall not be restricted to insurance proceeds, if any, received by the City, its directors, officials officers, employees, agents, or volunteers.
- 3.5.3 Governing Law; Government Code Claim Compliance. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California. Venue shall be in Riverside County. In addition to any and all contract requirements pertaining to notices of and requests for compensation or payment for extra work, disputed work, claims and/or changed conditions, Contractor must comply with the claim procedures set forth in Government Code Sections 900 et seq. prior to filing any lawsuit against the City. Such Government Code claims and any subsequent lawsuit based upon the Government Code claims shall be limited to those matters that remain unresolved after all procedures pertaining to extra work, disputed work, claims, and/or changed conditions have been followed by Contractor. If no such Government Code claim is submitted, or if any prerequisite contractual requirements are not otherwise satisfied as specified herein, Contractor shall be barred from bringing and maintaining a valid lawsuit against the City.
 - 3.5.4 <u>Time of Essence</u>. Time is of the essence for each and every provision of this Agreement.
- 3.5.5 <u>City's Right to Employ Other Contractors</u>. City reserves right to employ other contractors in connection with this Project.
- 3.5.6 <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Agreement shall be binding on the successors and assigns of the parties.

- 3.5.6.1 <u>Subcontractors</u>; <u>Assignment or Transfer</u>. Contractor shall not subcontract any portion of the Services required under this Agreement, except as expressly authorized herein, without the prior written approval of the City. Subcontracts, if any, shall include a provision making them subject to all provisions of this Agreement. Contractor shall also not assign, hypothecate or transfer, either directly or by operation of law, this Agreement or any interest herein without the prior written consent of the City. Any attempt to subcontract or take any other action not authorized herein shall be null and void, and any subcontractors, assignees, hypothecates or transferees shall acquire no right or interest by reason of such action.
- 3.5.6.2 <u>Corona Utility Authority</u>. To the extent that this Agreement is deemed to be a "material contract" under either of the CUA Management Agreements, Contractor has no right to terminate this Agreement, either with or without cause, based upon the existence or non-existence of either or both of the <u>CUA Management Agreements</u>. Therefore, if an applicable CUA Management Agreement expires or terminates for any reason, Contractor shall remain fully obligated to perform under this Agreement with the <u>CUA</u> or another third party contracted by the <u>CUA</u> for the maintenance, management and operation of the applicable utility system.
- 3.5.7 Construction; References; Captions. Since the Parties or their agents have participated fully in the preparation of this Agreement, the language of this Agreement shall be construed simply, according to its fair meaning, and not strictly for or against any Party. Any term referencing time, days or period for performance shall be deemed calendar days and not work days. All references to Contractor include all personnel, employees, agents, and subcontractors of Contractor, except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. All references to City include its elected officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers except as otherwise specified in this Agreement. The captions of the various articles and paragraphs are for convenience and ease of reference only, and do not define, limit, augment, or describe the scope, content or intent of this Agreement.
- 3.5.8 <u>Amendment; Modification</u>. No supplement, modification or amendment of this Agreement shall be binding unless executed in writing and signed by both Parties.
- 3.5.9 <u>Waiver</u>. No waiver of any default shall constitute a waiver of any other default or breach, whether of the same or other covenant or condition. No waiver, benefit, privilege, or service voluntarily given or performed by a Party shall give the other Party any contractual rights by custom, estoppel or otherwise.
- 3.5.10 No Third Party Beneficiaries. Except to the extent expressly provided for in Section 3.5.6, there are no intended third party beneficiaries of any right or obligation assumed by the Parties.
- 3.5.11 <u>Invalidity; Severability</u>. If any portion of this Agreement is declared invalid, illegal, or otherwise unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.
- 3.5.12 Prohibited Interests. Contractor maintains and warrants that it has not employed nor retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, to solicit or secure this Agreement. Further, Contractor warrants that it has not paid nor has it agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for Contractor, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift or other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement. Contractor further agrees to file, or shall cause its employees or subcontractors to file, a Statement of Economic Interest with the City's Filing Officer as required under state law in the performance of the Services. For breach or violation of this warranty, City shall have the right to rescind this Agreement without liability. For the Term of this Agreement, no member, officer or employee of City, during the term of his or her service with City, shall have any direct interest in this Agreement, or obtain any present or anticipated material benefit arising therefrom.
- 3.5.13 <u>Cooperation; Further Acts.</u> The Parties shall fully cooperate with one another, and shall take any additional acts or sign any additional documents as may be necessary, appropriate or convenient to attain the purposes of this Agreement.

- 3.5.14 <u>Attorney's Fees</u>. If either Party commences an action against the other Party, either legal, administrative or otherwise, arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the prevailing Party in such litigation shall be entitled to have and recover from the losing Party reasonable attorney's fees and all other costs of such action.
- 3.5.15 <u>Authority to Enter Agreement.</u> Contractor has all requisite power and authority to conduct its business and to execute, deliver, and perform the Agreement. Each Party warrants that the individuals who have signed this Agreement have the legal power, right, and authority to make this Agreement and bind each respective Party.
- 3.5.16 <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be signed in counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original.
- 3.5.17 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement contains the entire Agreement of the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, and supersedes all prior negotiations, understandings or agreements. This Agreement may only be modified by a writing signed by both Parties.

[SIGNATURES ON NEXT 2 PAGES]



CITY'S SIGNATURE PAGE FOR

CITY OF CORONA MAINTENANCE/GENERAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH ***INSERT NAME*** (ON-CALL / EMERGENCY – ESSENTIAL SYSTEMS REPAIR SERVICES FOR POTABLE WATER – RECLAIMED WATER - WASTEWATER)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have entered into this Agreement as of the date first written above.

CITY	OF CORONA
Ву:	[***INSERT NAME***] [***INSERT TITLE***]
Attest:	[***INSERT NAME***] City Clerk

CONTRACTOR'S SIGNATURE PAGE FOR

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EXHIBIT "A" SCOPE OF SERVICES



EXHIBIT "B" SCHEDULE OF SERVICES



EXHIBIT "C" COMPENSATION

[***INSERT RATES & AUTHORIZED REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES***]

[***SEE SECTION 3.2.12 ABOVE AND INSERT CITY'S REQUIREMENT FOR PERFORMANCE/PAYMENT BONDS, IF APPLICABLE; IF NOT REQUIRED, STATE THAT THEY ARE NOT REQUIRED***